

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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**Incident:** Armed Robbery

Location: 245 S. Mills Road

Date/Time Occurred: 01/30/21 @ 2002 hrs.

Officer(s) Involved: VPD Patrol

Victim: Female, 20 years

Suspect(s): Hispanic Male, 20 yrs, wearing a red hooded sweatshirt

**Report #:** 21-6519

## Narrative:

On the above date and time, the Ventura Police Department Command Center received a call of an armed robbery that just occurred in the parking lot west of Target at the Pacific View Mall. During the investigation, officers learned that the victim was loading items into her vehicle when she was approached by the suspect, who brandished a handgun and demanded her property. Upon obtaining property from the victim, the suspect fled on foot and entered a black sedan that left the area towards Main St.

Officers checked the area for the suspect, but he was not located. Anyone with information about this crime is asked to contact the Ventura Police Department at 339-4444.

The complete press release, including suspect description, can be viewed online at www.venturapd.org

If you have any information about this crime, you can make an anonymous call to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS.

If your information leads to an arrest, you could receive a cash reward of up to \$1,000.